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Notice of Lifting of Suspension Date:

TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: LIQUIDATION FOR SUGAR FROM BELGIUM (C423-046), DENMARK (C409-046), FRANCE (C427-046), AND THE UNITED KINGDOM (C412-046)

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TO: DIRECTORS OF FIELD OPERATIONS
PORT DIRECTORS

FROM: DIRECTOR, SPECIAL ENFORCEMENT

RE: LIQUIDATION FOR SUGAR FROM BELGIUM (C423-046), DENMARK (C409-046), FRANCE (C427-046), AND THE UNITED KINGDOM (C412-046)

- 1. THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE DID NOT RECEIVE A REQUEST FOR AN ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW OF THE DESCRIBED COUNTERVAILING DUTY ORDERS FOR THE REVIEW PERIOD 1/1/2002 12/31/2002.
- 2. THE COUNTERVAILING DUTY ORDERS AND CORRESPONDING MERCHANDISE COVERED BY THESE INSTRUCTIONS IS AS FOLLOWS:

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DENMARK (C-409-046), FRANCE (C-427-046), AND THE UNITED KINGDOM (C-412-046) COVERS SHIPMENTS OF SUGAR FROM THE COUNTRIES SPECIFIED. PRIOR TO 1995, SUCH MERCHANDISE WAS CLASSIFIABLE UNDER HARMONIZED TARIFF SCHEDULE ITEM NUMBERS 1701.11.00, 1701.12.00, 1701.91.20 AND 1701.99.00. BEGINNING 1995, ITEM NUMBERS 1701.1105, 1701.1110, 1701.1120, 1701.1150, 1701.1205, 1701.1210, 1701.9905, 1701.9910, 1701.9950, 1702.9005, 1702.9010, 1702.9020, 2106.9042, 2106.9044, AND 2106.906 APPLY. BLENDS OF SUGAR AND DEXTROSE, A CORN-DERIVED SWEETENER, CONTAINING AT LEAST 65 PERCENT SUGAR, ARE COVERED BY THESE ORDERS.

- 3. THEREFORE, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 351.212(C) OF THE COMMERCE REGULATIONS, YOU ARE TO ASSESS COUNTERVAILING DUTIES AT RATES EQUAL TO THE CASH DEPOSIT OF ESTIMATED COUNTERVAILING DUTIES REQUIRED AT THE TIME OF ENTRY ON THE SPECIFIED SUBJECT MERCHANDISE EXPORTED ON OR AFTER 1/1/2002 AND ON OR BEFORE 12/31/2002.
- 4. THE RATES OF ESTIMATED COUNTERVAILING DUTIES WHICH WERE REQUIRED TO BE DEPOSITED ARE:

PRODUCT CASE NUMBER PERIOD RATE

SUGAR

BELGIUM

ALL FIRMS C-423-046 1/1/2002-12/31/2002 10.45 CENTS PER POUND

SUGAR

DENMARK

ALL FIRMS C-409-046 1/1/2002-12/31/2002 10.45 CENTS PER POUND

SUGAR

FRANCE

ALL FIRMS C-427-046 1/1/2002-12/31-2002 10.45 CENTS PER POUND

SUGAR

UNITED KINGDOM

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- 5. THE SUSPENSION OF LIQUIDATION ORDERED FOR THE MERCHANDISE LISTED ABOVE EXPORTED ON OR AFTER 1/1/2002 AND ON OR BEFORE 12/31/2002 IS LIFTED. THE SUSPENSION OF LIQUIDATION FOR ALL SHIPMENTS OF THE MERCHANDISE LISTED ABOVE EXPORTED AFTER 12/31/2002 WILL CONTINUE.
- 6. THE ASSESSMENT OF COUNTERVAILING DUTIES BY THE BUREAU OF CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION (BCBP) ON ENTRIES OF THIS MERCHANDISE IS SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 778 OF THE TARIFF ACT OF 1930. SECTION 778 REQUIRES THAT BCBP PAY INTEREST ON OVERPAYMENTS, OR ASSESS INTEREST ON UNDER PAYMENTS, OF THE REQUIRED AMOUNTS DEPOSITED AS ESTIMATED COUNTERVAILING DUTIES. THE INTEREST PROVISIONS ARE NOT APPLICABLE TO CASH OR BONDS POSTED AS ESTIMATED COUNTERVAILING DUTIES BEFORE THE DATE OF PUBLICATION OF THE COUNTERVAILING DUTY ORDER. INTEREST SHALL BE CALCULATED FROM THE ENTRY DATE OR DATE OF DEPOSIT, WHICHEVER IS LATER, OR ESTIMATED COUNTERVAILING DUTIES THROUGH THE DATE OF LIQUIDATION. THE RATE AT WHICH SUCH INTEREST IS PAYABLE IS THE RATE IN EFFECT UNDER SECTION 6621 OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1954 FOR SUCH PERIOD.
- 7. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY BCBP
 OFFICERS, THE IMPORTING PUBLIC AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES
 SHOULD CONTACT GAYLE LONGEST OF THE OFFICE OF AD/CVD ENFORCEMENT
- VI, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE (202) 482-2786.
- 8. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON THE RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

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Company Details

*Party Indicator Value:

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